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APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
10/731,664	12/09/2003	James R. Schmidt	17238	6364

TITLE OF INVENTION: ROTARY ACCELERATING APPARATUS FOR A VERTICAL STRAW AND CHAFF SPREADER OF AN AGRICULTURAL COMBINE

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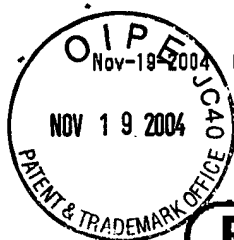
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